

West Virginia Senate

Committee on Government Organization

Minutes for February 11, 2020, 2:50 P.M.

Pursuant to the call of the Chair, the Senate Committee on Government Organization met on February 11, 2020, 2:50 PM in Room 208-W.

Members present: Senators Maynard, Swope, Clements, Smith, Sypolt, Tarr, Facemire, Ihlenfeld, Jeffries, Lindsay, Palumbo, Woelfel

Members absent: Senators Mann, Maroney

A silent roll call being taken, the absence of a quorum was established.

S.B. 579 – Authorizing establishment of enhanced emergency telephone systems

Douglas Crouse, Committee Counsel, explained the purpose of the committee substitute and responded to questions. The question on agreeing to the committee substitute, was put and adopted. On motion of Senator Swope, the committee substitute for S.B. 579 was reported to the full Senate with the recommendation that it do pass, but under the original double committee reference first be referred to the committee on Finance.

With the presence of a quorum, Senator Swope moved approval of the minutes from the previous meeting.

S.B. 706 – Clarifying duties of law-enforcement training and certification subcommittee

Carl Fletcher, Committee Counsel, explained the purpose of the committee substitute and responded to questions. The question on agreeing to the committee substitute, was put and adopted. On motion of Senator Swope, the committee substitute for S.B. 706 was reported to the full Senate with the recommendation that it do pass.

H.B. 4353 – Creating a rational nexus requirement between prior criminal conduct and initial licensure decision making

Carl Fletcher, Committee Counsel, explained the purpose of the bill and a proposed strike and insert amendment and responded to questions. On motion of Senator Swope, the strike and insert amendment was adopted. On motion of Senator Swope, H.B. 4353 was reported to the full Senate with the recommendation that it do pass.

On Motion of Senator Swope the committee adjourned.

Mark E Magnard

Mark R. Maynard, Chair

Isabel Kinnison, Clerk

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